

10. A fine not exceeding Rs. 20 will be levied at the discretion of the Superintendent of the Central Jail for any infringement of the stipulations of the contract, or for the supply of any inferior wool, and the contract may be annulled and the security confiscated to Government.

11. The decision of the Superintendent of the Central Jail will be final in all questions of infringement of contract.

12. A store-room will be given to the contractor (if required), in which he can keep all kinds of wool for issue on requisition.

13. Any further information can be obtained by applying at the Superintendent's office.

14. Samples of wool marked below with asterisks to be brought with the tender.

15. The rate should be specified for a maund of 25 lbs. by weight.

16. The contract is subject to the confirmation of the Inspector General of Prisons in Mysore.

17. The probable quantity of each kind of wool is given below, but the same is not guaranteed:—

Articles.	Probable quantity required for the year.	Articles.	Probable quantity required for the year.
*1st sort white clipped wool, Mandya, do.	500 lbs.	*Chunam or scraped black ..	5,000 lbs.
*1st sort black clipped wool, Chitaldrug, do.	1,500 lbs.	* { Do white wool ..	3,000 lbs.
*2nd sort white clipped wool (Mandya), per maund of 25 lbs.	1,500 lbs.	* { Do fawn wool ..	1,000 lbs.
*2nd sort black do Chitaldrug	1,000 lbs.	* { Do grey wool ..	3,000 lbs.
*Fawn wool do do	2,500 lbs.	The wool is subject to be cleaned, picked, beaten out and washed before use.	

G. HUME WRIGHT, Superintendent.

Notice dated 3rd February 1903.

With reference to para 2 of Government Proceedings No. 10394—Mis. 1660, dated 19th January 1903, reviewing the Annual Report of the Stationery Depot, the undersigned finds that no complaints have been received in the Stationery Depot of any deterioration in the quality of paper etc., supplied, and requests that any officer of the State having reasons to believe that the stationery supplied has deteriorated, will kindly communicate with the Superintendent of Stationery, giving details and sample of the paper complained of.

G. HUME WRIGHT, Supt. of Stationery.

#### SEASON REPORT OF THE BANGALORE DISTRICT FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1902.

*Rainfall.*—The average rainfall in the district was 1 inch and 49.1 cents during the month.

*State of the Crops.*—The standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Vaisaki paddy was sown throughout the district, and paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, horse and cow gram, pigeon-pea, panicum milliaceum, wild gingelly and ground nuts were harvested.

*Public Health.*—Good generally.

*Mortality.*—There were 2,004 deaths in the month of October 1902 against 1,668 in the month preceding.

*Cattle.*—1,562 head of cattle died during the month of which 201 were killed by wild beasts.

*Lands.*—Lands assessed at Rs. 442-4-0 were taken up for cultivation.

K. KRISHNA IYER, for Dy. Comr.

#### GOVERNMENT CENTRAL BOOK DEPOT.

Dated, Bangalore, 2nd February 1903.

It is hereby notified that printed copies of service register having just now been received from the Government Press, are now available for sale in the Government Central Book Depot, Bangalore, at half anna per copy.

Notice dated 7th February 1903.

Notice is hereby given that copies of new and revised edition of Kannada Padyasara, Part I, which has been prescribed as the Text-book for the Mysore Lower Secondary Examination (of the current year) are available for sale at the Government Central Book Depot, Bangalore, at annas 5 (five) a copy.

S. ABDUL HAI, Curator.